

Federal court to recognize notarizations performed by a notarial officer of any State, to require any State to recognize notarizations performed by a notarial officer of any other State when the notarization was performed under or relates to a public Act, record, or judicial proceeding of the notarial officer's State or when the notarization occurs in or affects interstate commerce: H.R. 1059, to authorize notaries public to perform, and to establish minimum standards for, electronic notarizations and remote notarizations that occur in or affect interstate commerce, to require any Federal court to recognize notarizations performed by a notarial officer of any State, to require any State to recognize notarizations performed by a notarial officer of any other State when the notarization was performed under or relates to a public Act, record, or judicial proceeding of the notarial officer's State or when the notarization occurs in or affects interstate commerce. **Pages H892–96**

Recess: The House recessed at 5:59 p.m. and reconvened at 6:30 p.m. **Page H896**

Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Sherrill wherein she resigned from the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Costa wherein he resigned from the Committee on Natural Resources.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Plaskett wherein she resigned from the Committee on Agriculture.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Bera wherein he resigned from the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Crow wherein he resigned from the Committee on Armed Services.

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Committee Elections: The House agreed to H. Res. 164, electing Members to certain standing committees of the House of Representatives.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H896–97 and H897.

Adjournment: The House met at 12 p.m. and adjourned at 8:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REDUCE EXACERBATED INFLATION NEGATIVELY IMPACTING THE NATION ACT; PROVIDING FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISAPPROVAL UNDER CHAPTER 8 OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, OF THE RULE SUBMITTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR RELATING TO PRUDENCE AND LOYALTY IN SELECTING PLAN INVESTMENTS AND EXERCISING SHAREHOLDER RIGHTS

Committee on Rules: Full Committee held a hearing on H.R. 347, the “Reduce Exacerbated Inflation Negatively Impacting the Nation Act”; and H.J. Res. 30, providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Labor relating to “Prudence and Loyalty in Selecting Plan Investments and Exercising Shareholder Rights”. The Committee granted, by record vote of 9–4, a rule providing for consideration of H.R. 347, the “Reduce Exacerbated Inflation Negatively Impacting the Nation Act”, and H.J. Res. 30, Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Labor relating to “Prudence and Loyalty in Selecting Plan Investments and Exercising Shareholder Rights”. The rule provides for consideration of H.R. 347, the Reduce Exacerbated Inflation Negatively Impacting the Nation Act, under a structured rule. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Oversight and Accountability or their respective designees. The rule provides that the bill shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill. The rule further makes in order only those amendments printed in the Rules Committee report. Each such amendment may be offered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. All points of order against the amendments are waived. The rule provides one motion to recommit. The rule further provides for consideration of H.J. Res. 30, providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Labor relating to “Prudence and Loyalty in Selecting Plan Investments and

Exercising Shareholder Rights” under a closed rule. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the joint resolution. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Education and the Workforce or their respective designees. The rule provides that the joint resolution shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the joint resolution. The rule provides one motion to recommit. Testimony was heard from Chairman Foxx, Chairman Comer, and Representatives Raskin, Scott of Virginia, Molinaro, and Obernolte.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2023

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings to examine the conflict in Ukraine, 9:30 a.m., SH-216.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to hold hearings to examine advancing national security and foreign policy through sanctions, export controls, and other economic tools, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Foreign Relations: business meeting to consider the nominations of Stephanie Sanders Sullivan, of Maryland, to be Representative to the African Union, with the rank and status of Ambassador, Michael Alan Ratney, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Geeta Rao Gupta, of Virginia, to be Ambassador at Large for Global Women's Issues, Eric M. Garcetti, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of India, and Richard R. Verma, of Maryland, to be Deputy Secretary for Management and Resources, all of the Department of State, L. Felice Gorordo, of Florida, to be Alternate Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, Richard L.A. Weiner, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, Leopoldo Martinez Nucete, of Virginia, to be Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank, and other pending calendar business, Time to be announced, S-116, Capitol.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Colleen Joy Shogan, of Pennsylvania, to be Archivist of the United States, 10 a.m., SD-562.

Committee on the Judiciary: to hold hearings to examine the Equal Rights Amendment, focusing on how Congress can recognize ratification and enshrine equality in our Constitution, 10 a.m., SD-106.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: to hold a joint hearing with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to exam-

ine the legislative presentation of Disabled American Veterans, 10 a.m., SD-G50.

Select Committee on Intelligence: closed business meeting to consider pending intelligence matters; to be immediately followed by a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

House

Committee on Agriculture, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Uncertainty, Inflation, Regulations: Challenges for American Agriculture”, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies, oversight hearing entitled “Quality of Life in the Military”, 10:30 a.m., 2358 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Defense, oversight hearing on Ukraine, 2 p.m., H-140 Capitol.

Committee on Armed Services, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Oversight of U.S. Military Support to Ukraine”, 10 a.m., 2212 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Military Personnel, hearing entitled “COVID-19's Impact on DoD and its Servicemembers”, 2 p.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Readiness, hearing entitled “Energy, Installations, and Environment Program Update”, 2:30 p.m., 2212 Rayburn.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Energy, Climate, and Grid Security, markup on H.R. 1068, the “Securing America's Critical Minerals Supply Act”; H.R. 1121, the “Protecting American Energy Production Act”; H.R. 1085, the “Researching Efficient Federal Improvements for Necessary Energy Refining Act”; H.R. 1058, the “Promoting Cross-border Energy Infrastructure Act”; H. Con. Res. 14, a resolution expressing disapproval of the revocation by President Biden of the Presidential permit for the Keystone XL pipeline; H. Con. Res. 17, a resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the Federal Government should not impose any restrictions on the export of crude oil or other petroleum products; H.R. 1130, the “Unlocking Our Domestic LNG Potential Act”; H.R. 1115, the “Promoting Interagency Coordination for Review of Natural Gas Pipelines Act”; and H.R. 1160, the “Critical Electric Infrastructure Cybersecurity Incident Reporting Act”, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Environment, Manufacturing, and Critical Materials, markup on H.R. 1070, a bill to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act (SWDA) to treat the owner or operator of a critical energy resource facility as having been issued an interim permit for the treatment, storage, and disposal, of hazardous waste, and for other purposes; H.R. 1131, a bill to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to authorize the use of flexible air permitting with respect to certain critical energy resource facilities, and for other purposes; H.R. 1140, a bill to authorize the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to waive application of certain requirements with respect to processing and refining of a critical energy resource at a critical energy resource facility, and for other purposes; H.R. 1158, the “Elimination of Future Technology Delays Act”; H.R. 1141, the